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Attached are the following documents regarding the above case:

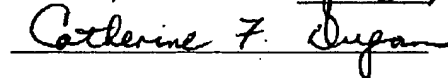
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Under 37 CFR § 1.114 – 2 sheets

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PATENT APPLICATION

Mauro Costa
Michael Roberts
Sutha SilvagnanasundaramCase Name/No. Costa 3-1-3
Serial No: 99304440.3
Filing Date: June 8, 1999
Group Art Unit:
Examiner:MAIL STOP RCE
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114

SIR:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of application Serial No. 99304440.3 filed on June 8, 1999 entitled Signalling Radio Service Requirements

NOTE: 37 CFR § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) under 37 CFR § 1.53(d) instead of an RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114

a. ☒ Previously SubmittedI. ☒ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on April 1, 2004Response and Request for
Reconsideration Pursuant to 37 CFR §
1.111

(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered.)

II. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed onIII. ☐ Otherb. ☒ EnclosedI. ☒ Amendment/ReplyII. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)III. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)IV. ☐ Other

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2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ month(s).
(Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(l) required.)
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. FEES

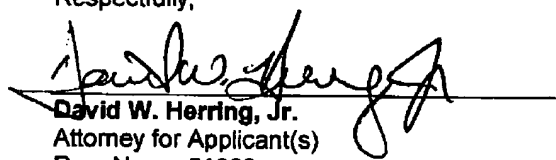
- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Lucent Technologies Deposit Account No. 12-2325.
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) - \$770.00
- ii. ☐ Other - _____

In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. 12-2325 as required to correct the error. Duplicate copies of this letter are enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply, requiring a petition for extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time if not submitted with the reply.

Please address all correspondence to Docket Administrator (Room 3J-219), Lucent Technologies, Inc., 101 Crawfords Corner Road, Holmdel, New Jersey 07733-3030. However, telephone calls should be made to me at (908) 582-4326.

Respectfully,


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Patent Application

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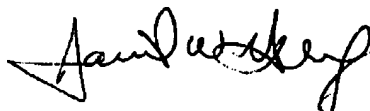
SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE AND
REQUEST FOR CONTINUING EXAMINATION

This supplemental response is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 17, 2003.

A response was filed in the above application on 4/1/2004. In that communication, applicants indicated that a Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.113 was being filed in conjunction with the response. However, applicants mistakenly omitted the RCE paperwork. Therefore, in order to correct this deficiency, please find a supplemental response and the RCE paperwork enclosed herein. Upon speaking with the Examiner in this matter on 4/12/2004, applicants understand that the extension of time petition has already been granted pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3). As also discussed with the Examiner on 4/12/2004, this communication will be faxed directly to the Examiner

and will also be mailed to the appropriate official box. Applicants' representative looks forward to speaking with the Examiner upon reconsideration of this case. If there are any questions regarding this supplemental response, please do not hesitate to contact me at 908-582-4326.

Respectfully,



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908-582-4326.

Date: April 13, 2004

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